

HOUSEHOLD DATA
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

A-15. Employment status of the civilian noninstitutional population by race, Hispanic or Latino ethnicity, sex, and age

(Numbers in thousands)

Employment status, race, and Hispanic or Latino ethnicity	Total		Men, 20 years and over		Women, 20 years and over		Both sexes, 16 to 19 years	
	Aug. 2005	Aug. 2006	Aug. 2005	Aug. 2006	Aug. 2005	Aug. 2006	Aug. 2005	Aug. 2006
TOTAL								
Civilian noninstitutional population	226,421	229,167	101,004	102,308	108,996	110,134	16,421	16,725
Civilian labor force	150,469	152,465	77,119	77,928	65,384	66,535	7,966	8,003
Percent of population	66.5	66.5	76.4	76.2	60.0	60.4	48.5	47.8
Employed	143,142	145,379	74,061	74,973	62,306	63,606	6,775	6,801
Unemployed	7,327	7,086	3,058	2,955	3,078	2,929	1,191	1,202
Unemployment rate	4.9	4.6	4.0	3.8	4.7	4.4	15.0	15.0
Not in labor force	75,952	76,702	23,885	24,380	43,612	43,599	8,455	8,723
White								
Civilian noninstitutional population	184,669	186,500	83,674	84,579	88,294	89,034	12,702	12,887
Civilian labor force	123,166	124,671	64,133	64,815	52,408	53,216	6,624	6,640
Percent of population	66.7	66.8	76.6	76.6	59.4	59.8	52.2	51.5
Employed	118,021	119,575	61,946	62,666	50,263	51,122	5,812	5,787
Unemployed	5,144	5,096	2,187	2,149	2,145	2,094	812	853
Unemployment rate	4.2	4.1	3.4	3.3	4.1	3.9	12.3	12.8
Not in labor force	61,503	61,828	19,540	19,764	35,885	35,817	6,078	6,247
Black or African American								
Civilian noninstitutional population	26,572	27,065	10,683	10,888	13,400	13,601	2,488	2,577
Civilian labor force	17,252	17,479	7,761	7,770	8,614	8,798	878	910
Percent of population	64.9	64.6	72.6	71.4	64.3	64.7	35.3	35.3
Employed	15,573	15,946	7,129	7,153	7,885	8,147	559	647
Unemployed	1,679	1,533	631	617	729	652	319	264
Unemployment rate	9.7	8.8	8.1	7.9	8.5	7.4	36.3	29.0
Not in labor force	9,319	9,586	2,922	3,117	4,786	4,802	1,610	1,667
Asian								
Civilian noninstitutional population	9,900	10,229	4,381	4,565	4,912	5,039	607	624
Civilian labor force	6,538	6,706	3,464	3,566	2,895	2,938	179	202
Percent of population	66.0	65.6	79.1	78.1	58.9	58.3	29.6	32.4
Employed	6,300	6,511	3,344	3,487	2,789	2,854	167	170
Unemployed	238	196	120	80	106	84	12	32
Unemployment rate	3.6	2.9	3.5	2.2	3.7	2.9	6.8	15.9
Not in labor force	3,362	3,522	917	999	2,017	2,101	427	422
Hispanic or Latino ethnicity								
Civilian noninstitutional population	29,264	30,232	13,650	14,106	12,914	13,314	2,700	2,813
Civilian labor force	19,986	20,679	11,463	11,870	7,378	7,722	1,146	1,088
Percent of population	68.3	68.4	84.0	84.2	57.1	58.0	42.4	38.7
Employed	18,840	19,588	10,991	11,368	6,900	7,307	949	913
Unemployed	1,146	1,091	472	502	478	414	197	175
Unemployment rate	5.7	5.3	4.1	4.2	6.5	5.4	17.2	16.1
Not in labor force	9,278	9,553	2,187	2,236	5,536	5,592	1,555	1,725

NOTE: Estimates for the above race groups (white, black or African American, and Asian) do not sum to totals because data are not presented for all races. In addition, persons whose ethnicity is identified as Hispanic or Latino may be of any race and, therefore, are classified by ethnicity as well as by race. Beginning in January 2006, data reflect revised population controls used in the household survey.